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BELTON MAN SENTENCED FOR METH CONSPIRACY

KANSAS CITY, Mo. – Todd P. Graves, United States Attorney for the Western District of Missouri, announced that a Belton, Mo., man was sentenced in federal court today for conspiring to manufacture methamphetamine.

David L. Quigg, 35, of Belton, was sentenced by U.S. District Judge Ortrie D. Smith this morning to seven years and nine months in federal prison without parole.

On July 8, 2004, **Quigg** pleaded guilty to two counts of an indictment that was returned by a federal grand jury on Feb. 26, 2004, in Kansas City.

By pleading guilty, **Quigg** admitted that he conspired to manufacture 500 grams or more of methamphetamine between Jan. 1, 2000, and Aug. 28, 2003, in Cass County, Mo. He also pleaded guilty to manufacturing 500 grams or more of methamphetamine between the same time period.

The case was prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney Bruce Rhoades. It was investigated by the Missouri State Highway Patrol, the West Central Missouri Drug Task Force and the Cass County, Mo., Sheriff's Department.

This news release, as well as additional information about the office of the United States Attorney for the Western District of Missouri, is available on-line at

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